Department of Music the university of alberta

# Spring tour & Concept

Conductor

symphonic wind ensemble David Hoyt - Horn Soloist

Tuesday Sunday Monday Monday Tuesday

Convocation Hall

20 — 8:30 p.m. Convocation Hall 25 — 8:00 p.m. Lacombe 27 — 2:00 p.m. Rimbey 27 — 8:00 p.m. Red Deer 28 —10:45 a.m.— 1:30 p.m. Red Deer



## THE UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA BANDS

The history of the bands at the University of Alberta dates back over a period of sever-The history of the bands at the University of Alberta dates back over a period of several years with various organizations functioning under student management and leadership. In 1964 the bands became a fully recognized university club through the dedicated leadership of an active student executive of band members. Through the concerted efforts of this group and its appointed director, Cecil Pretty, the bands acquired a number of instruments, uniforms, and other equipment and an expanded program developed which included a marching band, a pep band, and a stage band. These groups functioned with student leadership and the financial support of the University Athletic Board and the Student Union through the summer of 1968.

The bands today are organized under the Department of Music and the leadership of Dr. John Iltis, Chairman of the Wind Instrument Division. This system continues to recognize the function of bands in campus life of the University at large and seeks to provide for the needs of the music and music education students as well. Membership in the various bands numbers over 140 students from all walks of university life, including 27 Bachelor of Music Students and 18 Education Students with majors in music. The bands are quartered in the Student Union Building presently but look forward to April of this year when they will move into the new Fine Arts Building Phase One now under construction. This facility will provide for much needed rehearsal, storage, office and practice space. Opportunities for more individualized instruction, section work and small ensemble participation will also be greatly improved.

The 80 piece Concert Band is a very proficient band consisting primarily of students who take band without academic credit. Rehearsing one night per week, its activities include two formal concerts in December and March, plus selected guest appearances in communities and schools surrounding Edmonton. The band, fully instrumented, prides itself on its ability to perform some of the finest in band literature from the most challenging contemporary works and transcriptions to lighter novelties, marches and show tunes. It provides a musical, social and recreational outlet for any student wanting to

remain active in band activity with a minimal rehearsal requirement.

The 42 piece Symphonic Wind Ensemble rehearses twice weekly and is open by invitation and audition only. Its membership is comprised primarily of Bachelor of Music students and Education students majoring in music. It gives public concerts and guest appearances much the same as concert band with an emphasis on more serious transcriptions and original works for band. This year the Symphonic Wind Ensemble is touring the Red Deer area.

The Varsity Pep Band is a smaller group which functions at major university athletic events. Its membership is composed of students from all walks of campus life and includes many members of the Concert Band.

The Stage Band functions independently of the Department of Music and presents informal concerts on campus twice yearly plus selected guest appearances.





### ABOUT THE SOLOIST

David Hoyt, a native Albertan, began his musical training on the piano. After eight years of study he began the French horn. He took lessons from Frank Hosek in Lethbridge and Orlan Strom in Cardston while playing in the Lethbridge Symphony Orchestra and various other local bands and organizations.

David came to Edmonton and continued studies on both French horn and piano. His piano teachers included Robert Pounder and Alexander Munn and he has studied horn for four years with Dr. John Iltis. He is presently completing a bachelor's degree in music history at the University of Alberta.

During summers, David has studied at the Jeunesses Musicales music camp in Orford, Quebec, and privately in Chicago. Last summer he also played and taught at the Banff School of Fine Arts.

In addition to his work at the University, David has played third horn in the Edmonton Opera Society Orchestra for the past two years and has recorded a number of performances in C.B.C.

### 1973 TOUR PROGRAM

Selections for concerts presented during the 1973 tour will be taken from the following:

Dedication Overture Vittorio Giannini

Concerto for Horn Ralph Hermann
David Hoyt, French Horn

"LaFolia" Variations James Niblock

Lincolshire Posy Percy Grainger

Poem for Brass Malcolm Forsyth

Malcolm Forsyth, Conductor I Phrygian Dance

II Intermezzo III Elegy & Waltz

Royce Hall Suite Healy Willan transcribed by Wm. Teague

Concertino for Band Fritz Velke

In addition to the above numbers selections for the 1973 tour will be taken from the following list:

American Salute Morton Gould

Trittico Vaclav Nelhybel

Second Suite Robert Jager

Tubby the Tuba
Paul Tripp and
David Otto, Tuba
George Kleisinger
Narrated by Tom Smyth
arr. by George Roach

Bugler's Holiday Leroy Anderson Chris Morrison, Dan Otteson and Tom Dust, Trumpets

Adagio and Tarentella Ernesto Cavallini
Randy Bain Clarinet arr. by George Waln

Theme and Variations Opus 26 B. Walton O'Donnell

When Jesus Wept William Schuman

Water Music Suite George F. Handel arr. by Hershy Kay

# sympkonic wind ensemble

John Iltis,

Conductor

PICCOLO Marianne Carefoot

FLUTE
Barry Eliason
John Vallentgoed
Alan Clarke

OBOE Hiromi Takahashi Robert Everett

ENGLISH HORN Robert Lewis

E FLAT CLARINET Richard Cook

B FLAT CLARINET
Randall Bain
Deborah Alpaugh
Shelley Hamilton
John Michielin
JoEllen Harris
Reiner Piehl
Robert Seymour

BASS CLARINET Ron Hannah

E FLAT CONTRA-ALTO CLARINET Melanie Rogers

BASSOON Walter Dean Allan Simonson

ALTO SAXOPHONE Laurelie Nattress Gail Larsen TENOR SAXOPHONE
Norman Miller

BARITONE SAXOPHONE Patricia O'Brien

FRENCH HORN
David Hoyt
Leonard Stubel
Lawrence Reese
Sheila Macdonald

CORNET Christopher Morrison Daniel Otteson Thomas Dust

TRUMPET
Rick Tait
Edward Pederson
Allan Dahl

TROMBONE
Bill Gilday
Blyth Nuttall
John Taylor

EUPHONIUM Bruce Johnson Joanne Colleaux

TUBA Henry Vant Erve Wayne Karlen

PERCUSSION
Brian Johnson
Michael May
Wendy Grasdal
Tom Smyth

The Wind Instrument Division of the Department of Music offers intensive private instruction from professional staff on all woodwind, brass and percussion instruments. Lessons are offered on a full credit basis to Bachelor of Music students and may be elected on a half credit basis by students outside of the Department of Music with special permission of their faculty dean and the Music Department. In addition students may elect ensemble for half credit which provides for their participation in such activities as wind ensemble, concert band, symphony orchestra, and selected smaller chamber groups.

# TEACHING STAFF WIND INSTRUMENT DIVISION

Flute - Joan Pecover Clarinet - Ernest Dalwood

\*Saxophone — Ernest Salamandick Trumpet and Horn — John Iltis

\*Trombone and Baritone - Malcolm Forsyth

\*Tuba — David Otto \*Oboe — Dayna Fisher Percussion — Alan Scott Bassoon — Eddy Bayens

\*not pictured



